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Two of the Contestants in our Baby Show.

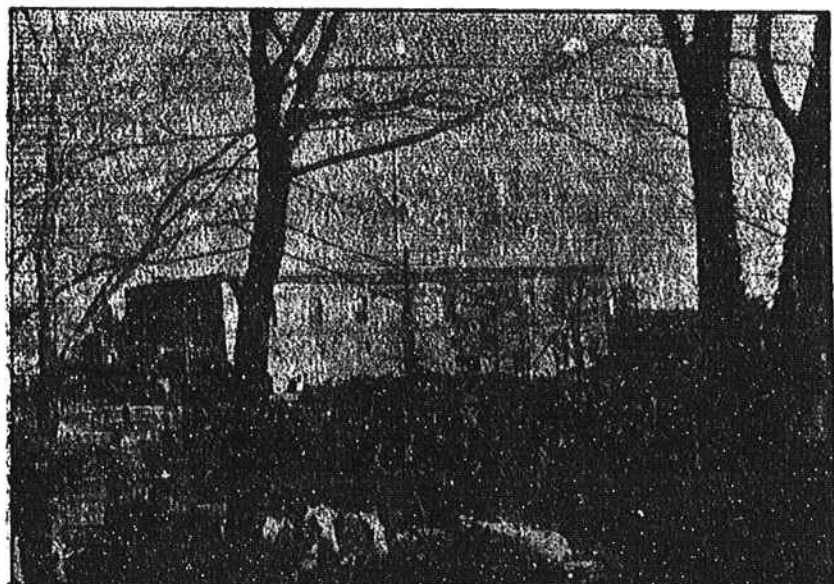


THESE ARE BRIGHT FACED YOUNG AMERICANS

We will publish two more next week. Send in your photographs early so we can publish the pictures.

N. D. Taylor will be in his studio in Pickens next Saturday and every Saturday thereafter until February 1st, 1908

This contest closes February 1st 1908.



Street scene in Pickens during the fair and poultry show.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.

Superstition vs. Statesmanship.

One great philosopher said: "Come not to bring peace on earth, but a reward." Now, we know that had no significance in Jesus' day. As we have many narratives to show, He was a peace-maker, as shown by Him driving the devil out of the people into the swine, and then attracted the attention of the people by employing them to help drive the hogs into the river. Jesus was living ahead of His day. He foresaw His gospel would bring a reward. He saw John beheaded, Paul executed, and thousands of others burnt at the stake for the sake of His religion.

What did the people say of this new religion? Just what they would say to-day if a new religion should come up: "He has come to make a new religion and tear down ours that our fathers lived by and that our mothers confessed on their dying pillows." So it is easily seen how Jesus saw He had won a reward. But has not every step, every turn toward bringing upward civilization and higher life caused strife and conflict? But Jesus done all He could do: all that could have been done in His day.

The world yet is in its infancy, civilization in the cradle. But is it not high time for some of the superstition to be done away with? Surely my posterity will not have to contend with what I have. "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called the children of God." Of course there are millions contributed. But what for? Is it to keep an army in

the field to yet instil superstition in the people, in order to keep peace while others away inherit the earth? Let us pray that our statesmen may not be so absorbed in superstition as to put stumbling blocks in the way of the poor. Let us pray that they go to their duty armed with that fearless ambition that will prompt them to make such laws as will promote us (their own people) financially, physically, morally and spiritually, so matters don't conflict.

If we have to have an impoverished country, give us a new religion, one not quite so expensive.

The fish that swims in the rivallet
Knows not of the salted sea;
Never a bird in a wirebound cage
Told all these things to me.

Yours truly,
M. W. HE TER

Six Mile.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Snyder, of the Greenville side, visited the family of R. W. Willimon last week.

A pound supper was given at the home of Mrs. A. D. Mann last Thursday night. A fine time is reported. Good morning, "Farmer Girl." You said the top buggy came down the road. I did not say which way it came. It came just the same. Don't you know who it was? I know just as well. Come some time when you haven't got long to stay, and maybe you will see who it is.

Mrs. Lula Arnold, of the Stewart section, visited her father, R. W. Willimon, Friday.

Several from here attended a pound supper at the home of Miss Ceola Holden, in the Stewart section, last Thursday night. A pleasant time was enjoyed.

Mr. M. C. Fendley, of the Stewart neighborhood, visited in this community one day last week.

Christmas passed off very quietly. I wished this day came oftener, for then I would more frequently get something good to eat, like cake, pies, etc.

Miss Sophia Mauldin visited Miss Findley, of the Dalton section, last Saturday and Sunday. Say, boys, Miss Essie knows how to make you enjoy yourselves.

Born, unto Mr. and Mrs. John Dillard, of this section, a fine girl.

Miss Maggie Willimon and her cousin, Miss Mary Trotter, visited in the King section last week.

Yes, "Dreamer," it is a fine thing to have good eyesight. These beautiful moonshiny nights one can see as large a thing as a top buggy coming a long ways out the road.

I am doing my writing at night this time, for my old pen has been on a drunk and wouldn't write at all. I had to foot it two miles out to the store to get a pen point before I could write to the S. J. I have had a hard time to get in my items.

Miss Ceola Holden, of the Stewart neighborhood, was the guest of her friend, Miss Sophia Mauldin, Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mauldin visited in Anderson last week.

No, "Mountain Boy," it was not my fellow in the top buggy. It was only my friend come to dine with us.

Continued success to the S. J. and its large army of readers.

OLD RIDDLES.

Long Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lawrence, of Heardmont, Ga., visited their parents during the holidays.

There was a pound party given at Mr. and Mrs. Austin Boggs', Friday night. It was well attended and enjoyed by all.

Willie Lawrence, from Chappells, is visiting his parents this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Martin visited their parents last week.

Miss Carrie Lawrence visited her friends in Easley and Greenville last week, and will leave for Easley, Saturday, to take charge of her school Monday near that place.

MARK.

Pickens, R. D. 2.

Christmas over, everything quiet and the clouds passed away. The welcome sunshine is here again to dry the mud, which abounds plentifully.

Thos. Garrett and sister, of Norris, were pleasant visitors at the home of J. M. Garrett, Saturday night.

Cadets Claude Broughs and Calvin Garrett spent the holidays with home folks in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Barker, of Oconee, are visiting relatives in this section.

Several from around here attended Mrs. Craig's sale Friday.

Well, the time is here, as the old saying is, to begin a new leaf, and most of us have to begin a new leaf, because the old one is already filled up and no room for any more. At the beginning of the new year we should form a resolution not to have our leaf for 1908 filled up with a mass of blurs and mistakes, but rather

Everybody Getting Busy.

Some One of the Low Ones May Top the Pile at Next Published Report.

It's Who Will and Who Shall.

Stick to Your Friends and Bring Them Up.

MANY NEW FACES THIS WEEK.

FOR CARRIERS' PRIZE.

Ross O'Dell, Liberty,	10565
R F Herd, Pickens,	10480
R L Henderson, Pickens	8040
Joke Allgood, Liberty	4515
Middleton Hester, Pickens	6485
C G Masters, Central,	9920
Wm Mullinix, Central	1010
D G Humbert, Easley	1215
B F Freeman, Pickens,	6720
McWhorter, Liberty,	405
Frank Hendrick, Pickens,	15220
Hal Boggs, Calhoun,	1000
Steele, Central,	900
Os Arnold, Central	800
Mark Hunt, Dacusville	1300
John Carpenter, Easley	1100
King, Easley	400

SCHOLARSHIP PRIZE.

Dreamers' Arthur, Liberty,	8655
Miss Lucia Earle, Pickens,	11650
Tillman Garrett, Hurricane,	4530
Miss Zora Smith, Central,	3990
Miss Lena Balentine, Central	9860
Miss Lida Leslie, Easley,	45
Miss Essie Kelley, Pickens	1855
Miss Katy Edens, Pumpkintown	1605
Miss Elsie Herd, Pickens	4510
Miss Viola Gilstrap,	14350
Miss Pearl Dalton, Hurricane	2190
Miss Ida Elrod, Pumpkintown,	675
Miss Bessie Thomas, Dacusville,	2240
Miss Jessie Parsons, Liberty,	2875
Miss Mattie Bowen, Easley,	110

FOR TOWNSHIP PRIZES.

CENTRAL.

Lena Balentine	9545
Zora Smith	3440

EASLEY.

Mattie Bowen	835
Lida Leslie	295
Ella Louper, Easley,	255
Lidie McCollum, Easley	200

LIBERTY

Alma Clayton	7735
Jessie May Parsons,	2640

PICKENS

Lucia Earle	6745
Essie Kelley, Pickens	2320
Viola Gilstrap, Pickens	10500

DACUSVILLE.

Marinda Watson,	785
Jizzie Day	400
Bessie Thomas	1400
Lillian Farmer	2400

HURRICANE

Lizzie Garrett	3880
Nora Chapman	10900
Pearl Dalton	1690

EASTATOE

Flora Winchester	2280
Leona Chipman	400
Lida Thomas	2405

PUMPKINTOWN

Ida Elrod	1240
Katy Edens	2085

decide to make it better than the one which has just gone out. We should raise our thoughts to higher ideals in life and strive to do the little things of life, and do them well.

FRESHY

goods must be as we represent them or we make them good to you.

A few prices will convince you what say is true:

Large size cotton blankets 50c the pair.
Large size heavy cotton blankets \$1.

Baby Show

Open to the World

All the ladies are interested in "The Sweetest Babe in Dixie". Of course you know and we all know, that the babe at your house is the "Sweetest Babe in Dixie." So send the little "Tot's" photo and win a prize in the Sentinel-Journal's "Baby beauty show."

We shall offer a number of prizes to be announced next week for the handsomest baby two years old or under.

Send us a photograph of your baby giving name age and place of residence.

Do not write on the photograph. As soon as the photographs begin to come in we will select two each week to grace the columns of the Sentinel Journal. These will be selected by lot so all will have an equal chance. At the close of the contest all the photographs will be placed in the hands of a committee who will award the prizes. No names will be published until we print the pictures of the winning babies.

Send the photograph early so we can print its picture to show to the world what a handsome lot of youngsters we have in the family of Sentinel Journal readers.

Competition open to the world.

Keep Your Eye on the Vote

If you take an interest in your mail carrier clip the coupon from this paper and send them to us with his name and number of route; they are worth 5 votes and the carrier receiving the greatest number will get that beautiful Piedmont buggy on Feb. 1st. For the dollar you pay on subscription you have 200 votes.

Though All Were Fables.

Though all great deeds were proved but fables fine;
Though earth's old story could be told anew;
Though the sweet fashions loved of them that sue
Were empty as the ruined Delphian shrine;

Though God did never man in words benign

With sense of His great fatherhood elude;

Though life immortal were a dream untrue,

And He that promised it were not divine;

Though soul, though spirit were not and all hope

Reaching beyond the bourn melted away;

Though virtue had no goal and good no scope,

But both were doomed to end with this our clay;

Though all these were not, to the ungraced heir

Would this remain—to live as though they were.

— [Jean Ingelow.

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West End,

Greenville, S. C.